

SERVANT BUTLER

Will appear at Roxboro, Tuesday, Nov. 16, 1897. Let all the people in this and adjoining counties turn out to hear this gifted orator in the evening of the day.

N. N. Tuck

Two white prisoners made good their escape from the penitentiary Sunday morning at three o'clock Sunday morning.

The Dan and William Telephone Company was incorporated by Secretary of the Commonwealth Monday with a capital stock of \$50,000.

All the families save one have been removed from the penitentiary, in accordance with the recent order of the governor. Four families were living in the prison.

Governor Russell has offered a \$50 reward for Albert Colleton, who is wanted in Henderson county for the murder of a little girl. Colleton is 20 years old, black and slim and weighs about 120 pounds. He is five feet six inches in height.

The handsome car which is to go into thirty or more States to advertise North Carolina will arrive in Raleigh Wednesday morning from the shops at Wilmington. The exhibits can be placed in it.

Superintendent Mebane is sending to the supervisor of each county a blank to be filled in with the names and addresses of all teachers in the county and public schools and also a list of private schools and public schools and colleges, with names and addresses of principal or president of each.

The State Board of Education met at the call of Superintendent Mebane to pass upon examination papers of applicants for first grade teacher certificates. Certificates were granted to Mr. R. C. Zaven, of Surry county, and to Mr. M. A. Garwood, of Davie county.

Evangelist Lee, who has made quite a reputation in the State as a temperance advocate, preached in Raleigh Sunday night. He is tall, thin, and wears a beard. He announced that he will wage a crusade against the liquor traffic. Sunday night the Fayetteville Baptist Church was packed to the doors and many were unable to gain admittance.

J. J. Smith was arrested in Henderson Saturday night for retailing illicit whiskey without license. He had his car and a wagon and was carrying the "dew" on the streets. The revenue officers here have put in a claim for Smith, and as soon as the civil authorities are through with him he will be turned over to them. His car is now seized.

Mr. T. T. Gray, Col. J. W. Hindsdale, ex-Judge T. B. Womack and Capt. W. H. T. G. have come to Richmond, Va., to present at a special hearing at chambers, Monday, before Judge Parnell, when the matter of confirming the title of the Cumberlock coal mining property will be heard.

It is learned that the counsel for the relative of the miners, who got judgment against the company as a result of the disaster in the mine two years ago, will object to a confirmation of the sale. Mr. H. A. London is one of the counsel representing the miners.

Hon. Thomas Settle to Mr. Mr. Thomas Settle will be married to Miss Elizabeth, daughter of Col. John Wilder Atkinson, on Thursday, November 12, at 12 o'clock, at St. James church, Wilmington, N. C.

STA E NEWS.

The Louis gold mine of Franklin county was sold at auction Saturday for \$2,000.

Sparger Brothers, of Mount Airy, one of the largest tobacco manufacturing firms in the State, have assigned. The amount of assets and liabilities are not known yet.

Quite a commotion was caused Friday by the sleepers giving away under the printing press in the Marion (N. C.) Democrat office. The press dropped a distance of four or five feet and was badly damaged.

A correspondent from Fayetteville says that more cotton has been sold in that town than for a year or two, but now that prices are so low not a great deal is being sold. The farmers are however, not over-pleased with the price here that they will advance after a little while.

Luther A. Wynne, assistant postmaster at Powellsville has been detected in robbing the mail and last Friday was indicted by the grand jury. Wynne, He pleaded guilty to the charge and will be tried in the United States Court to be held in Raleigh next December.

Revenue officers made a lively raid in Edgecombe county near Battleboro Saturday, and captured an illicit still in a remarkable location. It was in the middle of an immense reed swamp into which it had been brought on a boat. A preacher was the guide of the revenue officers and they were very careful to the exact place. The moonshiners fled.

Friday night a homicide was enacted in Monroe, at a negro festival. Hamp Carpenter, a white man, and Louis Clyburn, a young mulatto negro, while playing pool, went to the festival and got into a row with Tom Smith, a young negro about 20 years old. Carpenter is said to have been tussling with the negro, and called upon his friend to shoot. The mulatto fired, the ball passing through Carpenter's chest and into the negro's heart, killing him in a few minutes. The negroes in the hall were about to do violence to Clyburn, when he was rescued and arrested.

NOT ALWAYS UNDERSTOOD

A fact often overlooked, or not always understood, is that women suffer as much from distressing kidney and bladder troubles as the men. The most is situated back, and for that reason any distress, disease or inconvenience manifested in the kidneys, back, bladder, or urinary passage is often, by mistake, attributed to female weakness or womb troubles of some sort.

The error is easily made and may be as easily avoided by setting urine aside for twenty-four hours; a sediment or settling is evidence that your kidneys and bladder need doctoring. If you have a pain or aching in the back, pass water frequently, or scanty supply, or burning or itching—these are also convincing proofs of kidney trouble. If, try Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy. The mild and extraordinary effect will surely cure you.

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GENERAL NEWS.

During a severe gale on Lake Erie Saturday the Steamer Idaho was sunk, with sixteen of the nineteen persons aboard perishing in the lake.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 8.—John G. Keens has confessed the stealing of one hundred and eight horses in the streets of Indianapolis in the past year.

Richard W. Merrick and Eugene Lindsay, Federal Court Clerk at Philadelphia, have been arrested on charge of issuing fraudulent naturalization papers at \$17 a head.

The United States Supreme Court has denied an appeal to Theodore Durant of San Francisco, who was convicted of the murder of Blanche Lamont. The court affirmed the decision of the Supreme Court of California. Durant must hang.

Incendiaries Sunday set fire to the San Mario Hotel, one of the largest hotels at St. Augustine, Fla., which was burned to the ground, entailing a loss of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Otto Mergenthaler, inventor of the great type-setting machine that bears his name, is at Memphis, N. M., dying of consumption. He is one of the greatest inventors of the age and his death will be a great loss to the mechanical world.

Four men held up an Atlantic and Pacific passenger train at a point about 55 miles west of Albuquerque, New Mexico. The robbers boarded the train at some way station, and when the train reached the desired point, one of the gang climbed into the engine and covered the engineer with his gun. The passenger coaches were cut off and the rest of the train was run on a mile where the express was killed. The safes were blown open with dynamite and the robbers helped themselves to the contents.

Madagascar in Rebellion. LONDON, Nov. 8.—A dispatch from Paris says alarming information has been received there. It is learned that the French colonial office that large bands of well armed and disciplined rebels are scouring the island of Madagascar, and that the French detachments.

Desire Annexation. HAYANA, Nov. 8.—There is much excitement in political circles due to increasing lack of confidence in the ability of Spain to establish an autonomous form of government in Cuba and the apprehension that the Spanish troops will not be able to suppress the insurrection by force of arms. The feeling of uncertainty as to the future increase the business depression which has existed for more than two years and also the desire among a part of the population for the annexation of Cuba by the United States.

Decrease in Fever at New Orleans. NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 7.—There has been a large decrease in the number of cases since last week and the situation is still further improved. Very few places are now quarantined against New Orleans, and there has been a general revival in business. Total deaths to date, 1,743; total deaths, 291; total cases absolutely recovered, 940; and total cases under treatment, 560.

Henry George Memorial Meetings. OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 7.—At a Henry George memorial meeting this afternoon, Rev. John Williams, rector of St. Barnabas' Episcopal Church, denounced the churches of New York City for their opposition to George. The reverend gentleman said that New York churches especially the Protestant Episcopal, were under the control of the Vanderbilts and Astors, and while Henry George was a Christian in his every fiber, plutocratic influence in the church was strong enough to shut him out.

WILMINGTON, Del., Nov. 7.—Henry George memorial services were held tonight in the Opera House by the Young Men's Single Tax Club. John S. Crosby, of New York, and Congressman Handy spoke.

Georgians Welcome Booker Washington. TUSKEGEE, Ala., Nov. 7.—The recent visit of Booker T. Washington, of the Tuskegee Normal School, to the State of Georgia, was warmly welcomed by the people of that State. He was met at the South Georgia State Fair, at the invitation of the white people, and he was the guest of the Mayor of the city formally offered him the freedom of the city, and called upon him, together with the City Council, the white clergy, and the leading business and professional men of Thomasville, to pay their respects. At the fair George spoke the last night, and the people were largely in evidence, and with the colored citizens in welcoming him.

To Court Martial Weyler. LONDON, Nov. 4.—A special dispatch received here from Madrid this afternoon says that the Spanish cabinet is considering the impeachment of General Weyler, the late captain general of Cuba, on account of the remarks which he made previous to leaving Havana on his return to Spain. It is said that Weyler may be court martialled.

Kansas After The Trusts. TOPEKA, Kan., Nov. 4.—The State today, through its Attorney General, began a legal war of extermination on the trusts and combines operating in this State. The anti-trusts law upon which the proceedings are based, was passed by the Legislature. It is sweeping in its provisions and severe in its penalties. About 200 witnesses traveling men, wholesalers, and shippers, have been subpoenaed.

Debt of Nashville Exposition. NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 4.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Tennessee Centennial Exposition, held this afternoon, Auditor Frank Goodman held his report, showing that the total indebtedness of the exposition is now only \$30,000. The property of the exposition company is valued at far more than this sum, and there are uncollected assets amounting to \$39,000. The total attendance officially reported was 1,682,305.

THAT RESOLVING PROCLAMATION.

The signal and abundant blessings of the Sovereign Ruler of nations throughout the year now closing declare the liberty and impose the duty of setting apart a special day for Praise and Thanksgiving.

In addition to His many mercies our State has been spared strikes, disasters, contagious and internal diseases; our people have been blessed and our country has been made more and more peaceful and happy homes, and they have been vouchsafed progress in the promotion of Education and in the full preservation of civil and political liberties, as citizens of the Republic.

Therefore, I, Daniel L. Russell, Governor of the State of North Carolina, do hereby designate and appoint Thursday, the 25th day of November, 1897, as a day of public thanksgiving; and I do exhort all good citizens to assemble on that day to their churches or at their several places of worship and there to remember "the Giver of every good and perfect gift" and render unto Him their praise and gratitude for His goodness and mercy which "endureth forever"; and I do exhort an oversight and guidance that He enable us to be more worthy of the manifold blessings already enjoyed and of those which, through His loving kindness, He hath in store for us; not forgetting the poor, the needy, the sick and the afflicted and those who may be oppressed or deprived of equal opportunities by such of their fellow men as may be in possession of privileges and prerogatives that are inconsistent with the fundamental principles of free government and are not sanctioned by the laws of God.

Done at our city of Raleigh, on this ninth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the one hundred and twenty-second year of our National Independence.

DANIEL L. RUSSELL,
Governor.

By the Governor:
JOE E. ALEXANDER,
Private Secretary.

Another Croaker in the South. Atlanta Constitution.

While lovers of liberty the world over are congratulating the brilliant success of the New York Journal in releasing Evangelina Cisneros from the Cuban dungeon into which she was thrown by a cruel, there is one croak which is not without peculiar significance. It comes from John G. Carlisle, secretary of the treasury of the late Cleveland administration.

This is not the first time that this same John G. Carlisle has caused the soul to blush for being credited to it, in this instance there is a consultation in fact that his opinion is repudiated, north, east and west as well as by the south.

John G. Carlisle has been engaged as a special attorney for Spain in the case of the Cuban girl.

The Constitution overlooks the fact the South contains another Carlisle in the Charlotte Observer, published in North Carolina. It stands on all fours with Carlisle, regarding him and Cleveland, we believe, as the best of Americans and showing its devotion to his views so completely that its leading editorial, the other day demanded the extradition of the Cuban girl and her return to Weyler.

ABUSE NOT ARGUMENT. Why the Monopoly Papers are Praising Wilson.

For the Caucasian.

PAKERSBURG, N. C., Nov. 1, '97. I have received three bundles of sample copies of the new railroad organ, S. S. Wilson's Hayseed. So far as I can learn they are only being sent to influential Populists to try to sow seeds of discontent in the Populist ranks. What better agent of the money power do the railroads and bankers want? Wilson calls it a Populist paper. If it is a genuine Populist paper why does it send its time in abusing Butler and Russell, two men who are doing more to help the people in their fight against monopoly than any other two men in the State. If it is a genuine Populist paper why does it copy articles from Democratic papers which abuse Butler and Russell? If it is a Populist paper, why do the goldbugs and machine politicians and railroad attorneys who once fought and abused Wilson and tried to put him in the penitentiary when he was standing on the side of the people, now express delight with the paper and praise Wilson? Let Mr. Wilson remember that this Department is for the people that used to abuse him and Butler and Russell are now praising him and are still abusing Butler and Russell. The abuse which this class of folks have been heaping upon the State, if it is a genuine Populist paper, why do the goldbugs and machine politicians and railroad attorneys who once fought and abused Wilson and tried to put him in the penitentiary when he was standing on the side of the people, now express delight with the paper and praise Wilson? Let Mr. Wilson remember that this Department is for the people that used to abuse him and Butler and Russell are now praising him and are still abusing Butler and Russell.

Minister of War Stabbed. dispatch to the London Times from Rio Janeiro dated Nov. 6, says: "At 6 o'clock this afternoon (Friday) a soldier attempted to shoot President Menezes with a pistol.

But the bullet was just landing at the Marine Arsenal, after visiting the station on which Gen. Barbosa, Minister of War, had returned from Bahia.

His bystanders frustrated the attempt, but Col. Moraes, the President's nephew, was slightly wounded in discharging his revolver.

A Bittencourt (Gen. Marcado Belmont, Minister of War, then interfering, and was himself stabbed. The crowd, who were gathered in front of the Arsenal, caused the great agitation throughout the city.

Lawlessness of Embarkment. GEORGETOWN, Hart, a young North Carolina boy, of a good family, was arrested in the Police Court in Norfolk, Va., on two charges of embezzlement. Mrs. A. N. Roberts, the complainant in the case, states that he embezzled a check for \$80 and \$50 money. Hart protests his innocence.

SUCCESSFUL PHYSICIANS. We heartily recommend Dr. Hathaway & Co.'s "Hayseed" as a reliable and remarkably successful in the treatment of rheumatism, neuralgia, and other forms of chronic pain. It is the only cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hathaway's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. It is a powerful purifier of the blood, and gives the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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WINSTON'S TOBACCO FAIR.

It Freed a Grand Success and Will Probably be an Annual Feature.

WINSTON, N. C., Nov. 5.—Winston's first tobacco exposition closed Friday night. It was the grandest and biggest success of any event ever given here. Fifteen thousand visitors were there at the closing day, including over 200 pretty girls from the State Normal College at Greensboro.

The first thing on the program today was a bicycle parade. In which over 100 young ladies, men, boys, and girls were in line. Two fine bicycles were given as prizes for the best decorated wheels. After the award of the prizes it was announced that Mr. Patton had tendered his check for \$1,000 to secure the holding of the fair next year. The generous offer was received with great applause. The impression prevails that the fair will become an annual feature in Winston-Salem's history. Thirty-nine premiums, ranging from \$5 to \$25, were awarded to farmers for best leaf tobacco exhibited at the fair. During the Fair prize wrappers sold for 50 cents a pound.

AMERICAN BEAUTY. Women of America have a type of beauty peculiar to themselves. The climate, habits, and social peculiarities, have combined to produce a womanhood quite distinct from the woman of other countries. It has become almost an every day occurrence for the nobility and royal blood of Europe to cross the water in search of an American beauty, for the United States has become famous throughout the world. The American beauty is a peculiar product of this country. She has, however, one formidable enemy, not only to her beauty, but to her health as well. This enemy is indigestion, the climate and soil of the United States. It is called Catarrh. Almost every woman has it in mild or severe form. Our climate makes it well nigh unavoidable. It is the only natural enemy the American woman has. Not only is the United States the home of catarrh, but it is also the home of the new world famous cathartic remedy, PERUNA. The medical profession has succeeded in devising a remedy for the well-known universal disease.

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SCHEDULE ON WILMINGTON SEACAST RAILROAD. ON AND AFTER MONDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1897.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY. Leave Wilmington at 2:30 p. m., 6:30 p. m. Leave Ocean View at 8:00 p. m., 5:00 p. m.

SUNDAY TRAINS. Leave Wilmington at 2:30 p. m., 6:00 p. m. Leave Ocean View at 5:00 p. m.

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A Proclamation by the Governor. \$400 Reward.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. Executive Department.

WHEREAS, official information has been received at this Department of an unknown person, on the 23d day of October, 1897, did assault, with intent to commit rape, Miss Nora Cole, in Richmond county, by virtue of authority in me vested by law, do issue this my proclamation offering a reward of Four Hundred Dollars for the apprehension and delivery of the said unknown person to the Sheriff of Richmond county at the court-house in Rockingham, N. C., to be paid upon conviction of the accused, and I do enjoin all good citizens to assist in bringing said criminal to justice.

Done at our city of Raleigh, the twenty-seventh day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and in the one hundred and twenty-second year of our American Independence.

DANIEL L. RUSSELL, By the Governor: J. E. ALEXANDER, Private Secretary.

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Children's Corner

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RICHMOND, N. C. Oct. 12, 1897.

MR. EDITOR:—I am a boy about nine years old. I am big enough to help papa some, to feed the stock and hold some corn, cotton, and potatoes. I love to go fishing. How long was Noah building the ark?

Truly,
J. HUBERT ERVIN.

RICHMOND, N. C. Oct. 12, 1897.

MR. EDITOR:—I am seven years old. I am studying at home now. Papa is a farmer. I liked the story about the Shark's Nose. We have nice black chickens. Do not put my letter in the waste basket.

Truly,
CHARLES ERVIN.

How the Pledge Money Was Raised.

"Mildred, I just declare, I don't see how we are going to raise that pledge money! I have been busy thinking ever since Mrs. Steward spoke of it, and I have been trying to devise some way to earn my share. I don't want to ask papa or mamma to give it to me, for while I know they would do it, I should ask them, I think we ought to earn our own money."

"So do I, Jessie, but I don't know how we can earn fifty dollars in just two weeks, and Mrs. Steward said it was due then. If I were to save every penny of my spending money for that length of time, it would not amount to fifty cents. We have no time out of school to make fancy articles to sell, and I don't know what I can do."

"We must raise it somehow, girl," said Charlotte. "You know we have never yet failed to come up to our promise, and must not do so this time. I know I can give a dollar, but I wish I might do more, for I love the work."

"Why, Charlotte! how can you afford to give so much? You have less than any of us, and you never indulge in knickknacks like the rest of us, I don't feel able to give fifty cents even, but I suppose I will do it," said Lula Simpson, who was the most well-to-do of the crowd.

"Well," replied Charlotte, "I will give the dollar I had been saving to buy me a new pair of gloves. I saw a pair I wanted to get to wear next Sunday, but I can do without gloves far better than the leather can do without a missionary to tell them about Christ."

The girls walked on silently until they reached the corner where they separated to go to their respective homes. They were members of the Willing Workers, a mission band, composed of girls and boys from twelve to sixteen years of age.

Their lady manager Mrs. Steward, who was an earnest worker in the missionary cause, had recently pledged fifteen dollars as the amount to be contributed by the Willing Workers toward sending out a new missionary to the foreign fields. She had talked to them quite a while at the meeting that afternoon, and most of the members seemed interested and ready to work if they knew how. The money could easily have been raised at some concert or festival, but it was a rule of the society to raise their funds only by free-will offerings.

That same afternoon there was a group of boys discussing the same subject.

"I say, Bert," said Tom Woodford, "I have thought of something that will be fine. You remember that grove out on Mr. Rice's farm where we found a fine nut tree last fall? I was passing there a few days ago, and I noticed such quantities of nuts. I say, let's have a nutting party. We can get two wagons to go out there, and we can spend the day gathering nuts, and sell them, the proceeds to go toward that pledge money. I know Mr. Rice will give his consent, and I know of several boys who would like to go with us, though they are not members. The girls can prepare the lunch, while we secure the wagon, and we can go next Saturday. I know Mr. Seward will be glad to go with us, and we can have a real good time. Each one will carry something gather nuts in, and we must fill them, too. What do you say?"

"Why I think it is a capital idea, and I am willing to do my share toward making it a success."

When the plan was made known to the girls, they heartily approved of it, and Saturday was agreed upon as the day.

Saturday morning dawned clear and frosty, the crisp October air was most invigorating, making the boys and girls eager to be off to the woods.

They all met at Mrs. Steward's, each one carrying a basket, and several large bags were put into the wagon; for they were going with the determination to work. It was a delightful ride in the crisp autumn breeze, and the sky was of that deep azure hue peculiar to this season of the year. The maple trees had clothed themselves in their robes of crimson and russet and yellow; the hawthorn vine, with its bright leaves and scarlet berries, was twisted about everything within its reach, making rich festoons and brightening the underbrush; a few stalks of goldenrod still nodded their plume heads in a-

lumn breeze; while here and there the sunbeams burned in the glowing sun. The forests were bowers of loveliness, and it seemed as if nature had saved her brightest and best gifts for the last, for her face fell as the sun went down, and the long winter months beneath their snow coverings.

The girls and boys worked with a hearty good will, filling the baskets and bags with the choicest nuts. The heavy frost had been a great advantage, and the ground was covered with walnuts and hickory nuts, while the rich brown chestnut had dropped from their prickly burrs; and all were to be had for the small trouble of picking them up. When they grew tired in the middle of the day they all sat down and ate their lunch, and rested a long time.

Then they gathered some of the pretty leaves and vines to carry home with them. When evening came, every basket and bag was full, and they piled them into the wagon the boys called "Three cheers for the Willing Workers!" and there was a hearty response from the girls. They pronounced it the best picnic they had ever had, because they had some object in view besides their own enjoyment, and in the work they found real pleasure.

On the way home one of the horses became frightened at a dog which ran out in the road just in front of them, and they ran for a distance. One of the boys was thrown from the wagon, but was not injured, and the driver did not lose control of the horses. The fright was soon over, and they pursued their homeward journey.

They found ready sale for their nuts as soon as it was known what was to be done with the money, a great many of them being disposed of at the stores.

At the next meeting of the society, each one was expected to bring his or her offering toward the fund. At the appointed hour they were all in their places at the church, and Mrs. Steward knew as soon as she looked into those eager faces that the problem had been solved. After the opening exercises the president called for reports of individual effort, and as the nutting party had been the boys' idea they were allowed to report the proceeds obtained from the sale of the nuts, and one of them read out: "Amount earned on nuts, \$12.56." Then came reports from individual members, one wood-sawing for a neighbor; another one dollar for running errands at the store after school hours.

The girls too, had found ways of earning dimes and quarters, and had denied themselves what they thought were necessities, but which could be done without; and when all the offerings were put into the hands of treasurer and counted, she read out a total amount of \$25. They were astonished at the ease with which they had raised what at first seemed to them an incredible sum.

It was forwarded to the State Treasurer, labeled "Fifty Dollars pledged by the Willing Workers, and ten dollars given by them as a special offering, with the prayer that it may do much good toward telling the old, old story of Jesus and his love to those who live in darkness and know not God."

VIOLET.

State Flag as a Patriotic Lesson.

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A PLEASANT REUNION.

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joining in approving conscious, in our rights and liberties, in the beautiful harvest that is being poured into our land, in the profound peace that prevails throughout our land, in the lowly religion of the lovely Nazarene—the fatherhood of God, the brotherhood of man. Let us be obedient and devoted to all the demands of the King supreme as you have been to your country's demands; looking to the future, to the hope of a glorious reunion when the heaven's shall be on fire, and amidst the crash of weapons, the soldiers of the cross of Christ, shall be ordered into line—not with the ring of musketry and the roar of cannon, but in the quietude of the sacred word "good-bye."

It would be base ingratitude, my comrades, were we to forget, too, the worthy negroes of our country, then our trusted slaves, at whose tender mercy we were forced to leave our devoted wives, our sainted mothers, and dear sisters. May they rest in their reward.

In closing, let me again, my friends and comrades, as one who loves you, God knowing the sincerity of my heart, I beseech you, I pray you, to come once more together, forgetting the late unfortunate dissensions that have come between some of us in matters political and resolve to work together in the future as we have done in the past for the welfare of our common country, believing and knowing that the intelligent Anglo-Saxon race is the only one competent to run the affairs of our country, and may we all with pride, and from a sense of duty, to the world, defend the familiar lines, viz:

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